GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1709
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Shortage of Medical Facilities at PGIMER
Singh Shri Ravneet

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

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(a) whether there is a severe shortage of medical facilities in Civil Hospital at Ludhiana leading to a lot of pressure on the PGIMER, Chandigarh;

(b) if so, whether the Government proposes to upgrade the Civil Hospital to 1000 bedded Multi-speciality hospital;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE)
(a): As per information from the State Government of Punjab, adequate facilities are available at the Civil Hospital Ludhiana.

(c) & (d): Public health & hospitals is a State subject. As per the information received from the State Government of Punjab, presently there is no proposal for up-gradation of Civil Hospital to 1000 bedded multi-speciality hospital. They will upgrade the hospital whenever they find it appropriate to do so.
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